

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

ARTHUR LEE WHITFIELD, #158061,	)	
	)	
Petitioner,	)	
	)	
v.	)	CASE NO. 1:07-CV-39-WHA
	)	
BILLY MITCHEM, et al.,	)	
	)	
Respondents.	)	

**ORDER ON MOTION**

Upon consideration of the motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* filed by the petitioner (Court Doc. No. 2), and for good cause, it is

ORDERED that this motion be and is hereby GRANTED.

Done this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2007.

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/s/ Charles S. Coody  
CHARLES S. COODY  
CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE